



**Virginia Defense Force**  
**Virginia Department of Military Affairs**



## Initial Entry Training (IET) Quiz – Chain of Command & Insignia of Rank

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

---

**Multiple Choice: Write the letter of the BEST answer on the line to the left of each question.**
























1. \_\_\_\_ Chain of Command is:
  - A. The way that leaders communicate orders to subordinates
  - B. The process for sending information and questions from subordinates and leaders
  - C. A two-way communications channel between subordinates and **leaders**
  - D. Only required for orders and promotions
2. \_\_\_\_ The Commander in Chief of the VDF is:
  - A. Major General John Taylor
  - B. Major General Daniel Long
  - C. Public Safety Secretary Brian Moran
  - D. Governor Terry McAuliffe
3. \_\_\_\_ The Chain of Command for the VDF is:
  - A. Governor -> Secretary of Public Safety -> The Adjutant General -> VDF Commander
  - B. Governor -> The Adjutant General -> National Guard Commander -> VDF Commander
  - C. Governor -> Secretary of Public Safety -> National Guard Commander -> VDF Commander
  - D. Governor -> Secretary of Public Safety -> National Guard Commander -> The Adjutant General -> VDF Commander
4. \_\_\_\_ You address all of the following as “Sergeant” EXCEPT:
  - A. Sergeant
  - B. Staff Sergeant
  - C. Sergeant First Class
  - D. First Sergeant
  - E. Master Sergeant

---

**True or False: Mark “T” for true and “F” for false on line provided to the left of each statement.**

5. \_\_\_\_ TRUE or FALSE: You address a Lieutenant Colonel as “Colonel”
6. \_\_\_\_ TRUE or FALSE: The insignia for a E-1 PVT is one chevron
7. \_\_\_\_ TRUE or FALSE: The insignia for a Second Lieutenant is two silver bars and the insignia for a First Lieutenant is one silver bar
8. \_\_\_\_ TRUE or FALSE: The RANK of Major is indicated by the GRADE of O-4

For EACH of the following insignia, print the correct ABBEVIATION of the RANK indicated.

	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>
	<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>		<div>_____</div>